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Estimations by Turkey's shuttle trade are based on a Survey for the Shuttle Trade (see figure below) conducted quarterly by the Statistics Institute of Turkey at specific border crossings. To estimate the shuttle trade, the expenditures on the goods are expanded by the number of foreign visitors who are involved in the shuttle trade, which is estimated by using the ratio of the number of foreign visitors, who in the departing visitors survey are reported as having purchased products in bulk to be sold abroad, to the total number of foreign visitors who responded to this survey. The box IV.2 Survey for the Shuttle Trade has been conducted since 2003.



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SURVEY SHEET FOR SHUTTLE TRADE

ATTENTION:

With this survey conducted by TÜİK and Central Bank, it is intended to forecast the total value of the purchased goods to sell abroad by the foreigners, who visited our country. In accordance with the 5429 numbered and 10.11.2005 dated law, the information you will provide will be confidential and will not be given to any judicial, administrative or military organs, bodies, persons or authority; cannot be used for any other means than statistical and cannot be counted as evidence. The persons who will disclose any personal information obtained by these surveys will be punished as per the 53th and 54th Articles of the 5429 numbered law.

Thank you for your time.

1. Country of Residence?

2. The name of the Country in which the passport to be used during departure has been prepared?
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3. How many nights did you stay in Turkey? (If you did not stay in night please write zero) Nights

4. What is the type value of the goods you have purchased from Turkey to sell in abroad? (Please write the total you send by cargo or you carry off with yourself)

	Type of the good	Value (US \$)
1	Nutriment	
2	Apparel (outer, lingerie, trioot, sport, cloth)	
3	Leather wear	
4	Shoes, bags etc.	
5	Fabrics (Curtain, blanket, etc.)	
6	Other	
	Total	

5. What was the type of payment of the purchase?

1 Cash 2 By bank remittance 3 By credit card

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6. What was the value of packaging, loading, shipping, etc. you have done for the purchased goods?

	Expenses	Value (US \$)
1	Packaging	
2	Loading	
3	Shipping	
4	Other	
	Total	

7. To which country or countries you are carrying the goods that you have purchased to sell?

Transported Country _____ Transported Country _____

1..... 3.....

2..... 4.....

8. What was the value of expenses you have done for private spending for the duration you stayed in Turkey?

	Type of Spending	Value of Spending

		(US \$)
1	Eating and drinking	
2	Hotel	
3	Other	
	Total	

END OF SURVEY, THANK YOU
